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SUBJECT: HUMAN RIGHTS VETTING FOR IMET TRAINING

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11. The Department of State has reviewed its files and finds that as of July 26, 2007, it possesses no credible information of gross violations of human rights by the following Rwandan candidates for IMET training:

Name: JM Vianey Kayigamba

Rank: Captain

DOB: February, 1971
Training Date: 10 August 07

Name: Kenneth Tumusiime

Rank: Lieutenant DOB: May, 1975

Training Date: 16 August, 2007

Name: Laurent Munana Rank: Lieutenant DOB: August, 1974 Training Date: 16 August 2007

Name: Faustin Sikubwe

Rank: Sergeant

DOB: January, 1982 Training Date: 13 August 2007

12. Post is therefore authorized to forward the following verification message: "Embassy verifies that as of July 26, 2007, the Department of State possesses no credible information of gross violations of human rights by the Rwandan candidates for the IMET training listed above. This cable completes the joint human rights vetting approval process for the officers cited." Note that if at any time Embassy becomes aware of any information regarding incidents which could be deemed to be credible information of gross violation of human rights by any personnel involved in this training, Embassy should so inform the Department.